

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
VALDOSTA DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	:	
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v.	:	
	:	Case No.: 7:22-CR-51 (WLS-TQL-1)
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ALPHONSO WHITE,	:	
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Defendant.	:	
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ORDER

Before the Court is an Unopposed Motion to Continue in the Interest of Justice (Doc. 29) submitted by the Defendant on March 17, 2023. Therein, Defendant requests the Court to continue the case to the next available Valdosta trial term. (*Id.*) Defense Counsel states that he needs additional time to review discovery, discuss possible defenses, and conduct further investigation into Defendant's criminal history. (*Id.*) Defense Counsel also contends that he needs additional time to review and discuss the plea offer in detail, which has been provided by the Government, with Defendant. (*Id.*)

Based on the Parties' stated reasons, the Court finds that the ends of justice served by granting such a continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and the Defendant in a speedy trial. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A)-(B). Therefore, the Unopposed Motion to Continue in the Interest of Justice (Doc. 29) is **GRANTED**. The Court hereby **ORDERS** that the trial in the above-referenced matter be **CONTINUED** to the Valdosta Division August 2023 trial term beginning on August 7, 2023, and its conclusion, or as may otherwise be ordered by the Court.

Furthermore, it is **ORDERED** that the time lost under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161, be **EXCLUDED** pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7) because the Court has continued the trial in this case and finds that the failure to grant a continuance would likely result in a miscarriage of justice. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(i).

SO ORDERED, this 23rd day of March 2023.

/s/ W. Louis Sands

W. LOUIS SANDS, SR. JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT